

11-17-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

1  
2 Inventorship..... Spelman et al.  
3 Applicant..... Microsoft Corporation  
4 Attorney's Docket No. .... MS1-649US  
5 Title: Method and Apparatus for Generating Random Numbers

6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24  
25

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

To: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,  
Washington, D.C. 20231

From: Steven R. Sponseller (Tel. 509-324-9256; Fax 509-323-8979)  
Lee & Hayes, PLLC  
421 W. Riverside Avenue, Suite 500  
Spokane, WA 99201

The following enumerated items accompany this transmittal letter and are being submitted for the matter identified in the above caption.

1. Specification—title page, plus 23 pages, including 37 claims and Abstract
2. Transmittal letter including Certificate of Express Mailing
3. 4 Sheets Formal Drawings (Figs. 1-4)
4. Return Post Card

Large Entity Status ☒ [x]

Small Entity Status ☐ [ ]

Date: 11-15-2000

By: Steven R. Sponseller  
Steven R. Sponseller  
Reg. No. 39,384

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that the items listed above as enclosed are being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as either first class mail, or Express Mail if the blank for Express Mail No. is completed below, in an envelope addressed to The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the below-indicated date. Any Express Mail No. has also been marked on the listed items.

Express Mail No. (if applicable) EL685271113

Date: 11-15-00

By: Lori A. Vierra  
Lori A. Vierra